

# Nashville HMIS Data Report December 2020

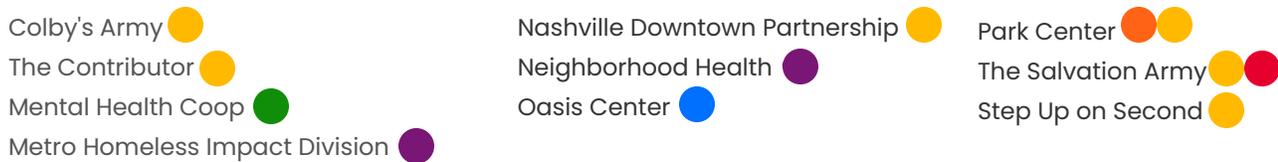
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## Current Participating Projects

**Rapid Rehousing (RRH)** projects fund short- or medium-term rental assistance and housing relocation/stabilization services designed to quickly move individuals and families from emergency shelters or places not meant for habitation into permanent housing.



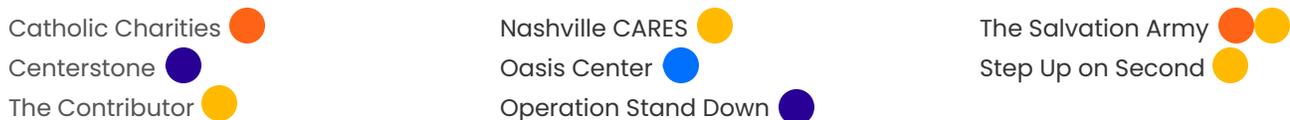
**Street Outreach (SO)** projects offer services necessary to reach out to people experiencing unsheltered homelessness, connects them to emergency shelters, housing, or other services, and provides urgent non-facility-based care to people unwilling or unable to access emergency shelter or other housing.



**Emergency Shelter (ES)** projects offer temporary shelter/lodging for people experiencing homelessness in general or specific populations of people experiencing homelessness.



**Homelessness Prevention (HP)** projects fund short- and/or medium-term rental assistance and housing relocation and stabilization services (financial assistance and service costs) designed to prevent an at-risk individual or family from moving into an emergency shelter or place not meant for habitation.



**Transitional Housing (TH)** projects provide individuals and families experiencing homelessness with the interim stability and support needed to successfully move to and maintain permanent housing.



**Permanent Housing (PH)** projects are community-based housing without a designated length of stay in which formerly homeless individuals and families live as independently as possible. Under PH, a program participant must be the tenant on a lease for an initial term that is renewable. Permanent Supportive Housing (PSH) projects are projects that offer permanent housing and supportive services to assist homeless persons with a disability to live independently.



\*This report does not include "Support Services Only" projects or data from the Coordinated Entry process at this time.

# Rapid Rehousing .....

12 Agencies provided Rapid Re-Housing services in December 2020.

In HMIS, an **Entry** refers to an enrollment in a project. For **Rapid Rehousing** projects, an entry is opened when a client has been agreed to participate in an agency's RRH project to begin the housing search. The "entry" remains open in HMIS for as long as the client is receiving RRH financial assistance or supportive case management services.

**214** **new** RRH entries were created in December.

**1096** **total** clients were active in RRH programs in HMIS during December.

693 households were served, including 689 adults and 334 children.

# Street Outreach .....

7 agencies actively entered Street Outreach data into HMIS in December.

For **Street Outreach** projects, an **Entry** is opened when a street outreach worker interacts with someone staying in a place not meant for habitation. The entry remains open until they exit to some sort of housing situation, institutional placement or if contact is lost for more than 90 days.

**171** **new** SO entries were created in December.

**227** **total** clients were active in SO programs in HMIS during December. This includes new entries as well as entries still open from previous months.

**6 clients exited** Street Outreach programs to **positive housing destinations** in December.

Currently, many Street Outreach activities are recorded only in Coordinated Entry in HMIS. Best practices say that Street Outreach activities should be recorded in both 1) an agency's Street Outreach program in HMIS for reporting purposes and 2) in Coordinated Entry for community collaboration and referral purposes.

The Nashville provider community historically relied heavily on the collaboration possible through Coordinated Entry, and chose to primarily enter Street Outreach data in Coordinated Entry only if they were not required to use HMIS for Street Outreach reporting. The HMIS Lead is currently working with Street Outreach providers to continue to encourage them to enter client data into their agency's Street Outreach programs first to bolster data quality.

# Emergency Shelter .....

In December 2020, 8 agencies entered Emergency Shelter data into HMIS.

\*This data does not include the Nashville Rescue Mission.

In **Emergency Shelter** projects, an **Entry** is created when a person or household spends a night, or several nights in an emergency shelter.

\*A hotel room paid for by a non-profit agency is also considered an emergency shelter.

**145** **new** ES entries were created in December.

**370** **total** clients were active in ES programs in HMIS during December.

**322** households were served, including **339** adults and **29** children.

Room in the Inn has begun entering their Winter Shelter data into HMIS this year, increasing Emergency Shelter HMIS data coverage significantly.

# Homelessness Prevention .....

In December 2020, 9 agencies entered Homeless Prevention data into HMIS.

For **Homelessness Prevention** projects, an **Entry** is opened when a person or household experiencing a housing crisis enters an agency's Homelessness Prevention project. The entry remains open as long as financial assistance or case management services are being provided.

**47** **new** HP entries were created in December.

**329** **total** clients were active in HP programs in HMIS during December.

**183** households were served, including **233** adults and **96** children.

# Transitional Housing .....

In December 2020, 6 agencies entered Transitional Housing data into HMIS.

For **Transitional Housing** projects, an **Entry** indicates a client or a household's stay in a transitional housing project.

Transitional Housing data captured in HMIS tends to come from agencies that have a federal grant requirement to do so.

**18** new **TH** entries were created in December.

**270** **total** clients were active in TH programs in HMIS during December.

**226** households were served, including **232** adults and **34** children.

# Permanent Housing .....

In December 2020, 6 agencies entered Permanent Housing data into HMIS.

**Permanent Housing** projects in HMIS tend to be federally funding projects providing ongoing rental subsidies.

In HMIS, an entry is opened and closed to reflect the time a client was actively housed through a PH/PSH project.

**19** new **PH** entries were created in December.

**2114** **total** clients were active in **PH** programs in HMIS during December.

**1427** households were served, including **1579** adults and **532** children.